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Britain's Political

& Economic Crisis

the eve of tomorrow's "crisis meeting" of the Par-

liamentary Labour Party that Field Marshal Viscount

Montgomery, Chief of the Imperial General Staff, has

cancelled his visit to Japan and is hurrying home from

New Zealand, was linked in London tonight with re-

ports that a slashing of Britain's armed forces might

be forced on the Government by the looming economic

London, July 29.-An official announcement on

charcoal chatties because no gas was available.

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Holland MayAccept Mediation Offer

The Hague, July 29.—Wellinformed but unofficial sources said today that Holland was about ready to accept Britain's offer to mediate to end the Indonesian war if the Indonesians would recognise Dutch sovereignty over the whole of their country and if the Republicans would issue an immediate cease-fire order.

The Dutch Labour Party, meanwhile, was understood to feel that military action had accomplished its initial alms and the time had come for renowed negotiations. The Labourites were said to favour calling in both the British and the Americans to negotiate a peace settlement.

Circles in close touch with Government opinion said the Dutch probably would stop the offensive near Tegal on the Javanese north coast and short of Malang on the eastern side, without capturing the Republican stronghold.

NON-COMMITTAL

These sources hedged on making out-and-out predictions that the Dutch war machine would be halted, however, pointing out that the Republican "scorched earth" policy might force the Dutch to continue their march.

Dutch Labour Party executives met to discuss the Indonesian question after branches throughout the war. Holland expressed "great anxiety" at what was going on in Java.

It was reliably reported that they voted wholeheartedly to support the Government for the time being and decided to call an emergency Party congress to get the rank and file opinion on Indonesia. The date for the congress was not set .-- United

Strong Earthquake

Honolulu, July 30.—An apparently strong earthquake, probably in the Celebes or Borneo, was registered at the Republican Information 1.36 p.m. GMT at the seismological Ministry. observatory at Barber's Point. Shocks continued for three and half hours. Their estimated distance was 5,800 miles from Hawaii. -Associated Press.

Carrying Medical Supplies

Britons,

Batavia, July 29.—Nine people on board ---an / Indian, four Indonesians and four Britons-were killed when an Indian Dakota plane was shot down by two Dutch fighters today as it was about to land in the airfield at Jogjakarta, the Indonesian Republican capital.

The plane, which belonged to Mr B. Patnaik, crashed into the village of Wodjo, two and a half miles south of Jogjakarta- and burst into flames.

There was one survivor. The Jogjakarta radio named these victims as: The pilot, former Wing-Commander Constantine, his wife, ex-Squadron-Leader Hazelhurst, an Indian engineer, Mechanic Bidarin, and four Indonesians, Mrs Agi Sutjipho, Abdul Rachman Saleh, Hadi Sumarno and Arifan Gani. The fourth British victim has not yet been identified.

The plane, which left Singapore plane and also an eye-witness earlier today, carrying two tons of account. medical supplies for the Indonesian | The Indonesian Republican Gov-Red Cross, belonged to Mr B. Patnaik, ernment has issued a special compersonal friend of Jawaharlal Nehru. | munique. expressing the 'deepest | The pilot, ex-Wing-Commander sorrow and heartfelt sympathy with Constantine, was an unofficial civil the families of those who lost aviation adviser to the Indonesian their lives. Government. He commanded an RAF fighter squadron in India during Indonesian situation to the UNO

Office spokesman said that his Last week, the plane flew Dr Sutan Government "saw no reason Sjahrir, former Indonesian Prime oppose" the move to bring the con-Minister, from Joginkarti to India flict before the Security Council. through the Dutch air blockade on The spokesman added that Holland the first stage of his world hir tour. appealing for aid for his country. The Jogjakarta radio said that the plane was coming into the airfield with its under-carriage already lowered when it was attacked and

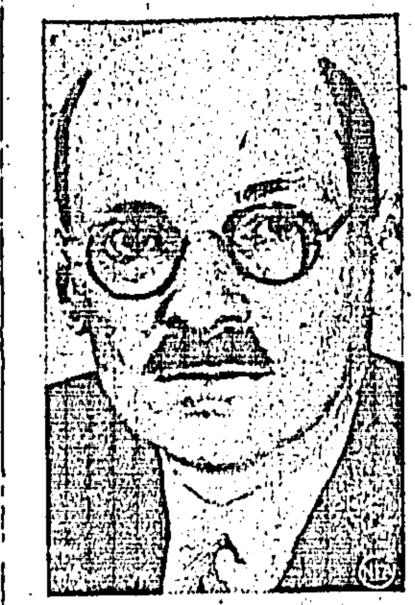
AIRFIELD ATTACKED

shot down.

The airfield was attacked twice today by Dutch planes; tonight's inflicted upon innocent Chinese na-Indonesian army communique said. The Jogiakarta radio later, reported that the sole survivor was Abdul Gani, Secretary-General of

The radio tonight broadcast warning to India that it would shortly be broadcasting an official communique in connection with the Dutch attack on the Indian Dakota

FACING CRISIS



Mr Clement Attlee, British Prime Minister, who is facing a personal political crisis and who, according to reports, may be forced to resign. Mr Attlee is holding important conferences this week with high ranking members of the Cabinet and with the Labour Party

TROOPS CAN **DESTROY** HOUSES

Fight Terrorists

and asked the security Council to Jerusalem, July 29.—Pow-While a report that China had ers enabling the British made an offer to mediate in the disterrorists in their attacks Chinese Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs. Dr George Yeh, accused on security forces are announthe Indonesian Republicans of "re-

Such measures were used against the Arab revolt of 1930 to 1939, but this is the first time that they have been used in the present terrorist

might attempt to kidnap a third soldler to join Sergeants Mervyn "It may be recalled that during Paice and Clifford' Martin, whom the hostilities that took place before the Irgun threatened to hang the Linguadiati agreement, the this morning's executions of three

The three terrorists-sentenced property throughout the period of to death for their part in the gaol fighting, although the Chinese com- break at Acre last May-were exmunities, in accordance with in- ccuted at Acre carly today and later structions from the Chinese Govern- buried in Safad, in northern

Irgun Zvoi Leumi members todonesia are being again subjected night toured shops, cafes and cinemas to violence on an even greater in Tel-Aviv ordering owners to Council debate on housing a few [scale, I must call upon the In- | close their premises immediately as weeks ago, the Hon Mr D. M. | donesian authorities to consider the a "mark of respect" for the three

solving the housing problem. It this kind against the defenceless The Mayor of Tel-Aviv tonight I and neutral Chinese population. I told Reuter that the reports that he "It must be urged that the had been told by terrorists that word "practical." Sponsors of Netherlands Government 'fulfils its the two kidnapped sergeants "would moral and legal obligations in re- be returned shortly" was "pure

city of Malang, zeat of the Re- Mrs Elizabeth Ingalls, 62-year-old existing phones only and will not publican 'Provisional Parliament, former Boston socialite, was today relieve the existing shortage of was predicted by neutral observers. convicted of holding a negro maid phones, Mr Sherry emphasised. Malang was said to be threatened in slavery and was fined \$2,500 and . It applies to just a portion of the by a Dutch encircling movement. A given a suspended prison sentence of system, but it - "definitely relieved

ROYAL

Nov. 18 Suggested

London, July 29.—Princess Elizabeth and Lieutenant Philip Mountbatten will be married in Westminster Abbey on November 18. the United Press was informed today by excellent Palace sources.

There will be no official announcement of the date until after the receting of the Privy Council on Friday, but November 18 has been suggested by King George himself and there is no reason to doubt that the Council will confirm his wishes in the matter.

door celebrations, such as firework displays, certain to mark the event.

this magnitude.

was discarded.

start an intensive series of fittings for her trousseau.-United Press.

Scotland Yard

London, July 29 .- Scotland Yard today answered Moscow's charges into court the gang who robbed the Today, James Dawson, 22, was

has, so far, shelved, a ... there any suggestion of anything secret having been stolen?" . The prosecutor, Mr Griffiths Jones, replied: "I understand there never any such suggestion by Mr

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system, which is equivalent to get them.

usage the subscriber gets from his ed.

In effect it gives two lines and

two telephones where one existed

The new development affects

HONGKONG HAS NEW

TELEPHONE SYSTEM

Many telephone subscribers are getting twice as much

use out of their phones as the result of a new unit plan

just installed in part of the Colony by the Hongkong

that it cuts down the number of chiclas believe the demand for

busy signals, raises, standards of service will drop off once the

service, and greatly increases the situation in China becomes stabilis-

lovercome for several years.

fortunate."

Gas Co., Ltd., said today. out during the Japanese occupation has been going on for several months and is now nearing completion. only two sections not supplied with gas, officials said. Some sections of the Peak do not have gas, "but we have started work up there and hope to supply all that area by

the end of the year."

personal attack on Mr Attlee's

TWO CERTAIN FACTS

Behind the welter of conflicting

facts. One was that, owing to the

looted or damaged during the war.

Previously, October had been most favourably mentioned as the wedding month because London's weather then is usually mild and would enhance chances of big out-

SURPRISE CHOICE

However, those in charge of arrangements feel they need another month for the comfortable arrival of delegations from the territories and placed in the spotlight the major trade union following that a big cut Dominions and for the complicated

garded as a surprise. It was under- crisis that crippled industrial product under the slogans "Food before stood fears were felt that a mid- tion earlier this year. week wedding would seriously in- As discussions among high-rank- Sweden than a bankrupt Great terfere with Britain's production, in ing Ministers of the Government conwhich every hour is vital. In fact, tinue, the Labour Party rank and the Cabinet was said to have sug- file were seething with rumours of gested a Sunday wedding for this impending Cabinet reshuffles involvreason. But there never has been a ing the Prime Minister's own position Royal wedding on a Sunday and the las well as that of the Foreign Secre-King vetoed the idea. Another sug- tary, Mr Ernest Bevin, and the Lord gestion for a Saturday ceremony as President of the Council, Mr Herbert the least harmful to production also Morrison, who is Britain's chief such as Mr Aneurin Bevan, the | Planning Minister.

The Royal. Family will stay at Leftist members, was that the Right- Fuel and Power, but they have so far Balmoral until the beginning of wingers of the Party would formally been steadfastly opposed by the Army to destroy houses used October and then will return to move at tomorrow's meeting that Mr Prime Minister as incompatible with London, where the Princess will Attlee should resign the leadership the discharging of Britain's responand hand over to Mr Bevin. Another claimed that yesterday's

that it was inemcient by bringing spring. flat of Boris Karavaev, first Secretary to the Russian Embassy here. information, there were two certain sentenced to three years in prison, and Sidney Stallard, 19, Arthur Rouse, 18, and John Catway, 17, to reformatory terms of up to three

Judge Laurence Vine asked: "Is Karavaev."—United Press.

While the War Office merely gave the Government's Parliamentary "pressure of business in London" as supporters.

the reason, the sudden decision has | The belief among the Party's solid problem confronting the Prime Minis- in the armed forces is the only way planning that goes into an uffair of ter, Mr Clement Attlee—the growing to alleviate the dollar crisis demand for drustle steps to alleviate | sufficiently quickly to avert a drustle The choice of Tuesday was re- threatening a renewal of the winter living has hardened in recent weeks Forces" and "Rather a prosperous,

These demands are being supported increasingly by most of the Ministers concerned with economic; policy, including, it is believed. Mr Morrison, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr Hugh Dalton, and Mr George Isaacs, as well as by outspoken Leftwingers in the Chbinet Minister of Health, and Mr Em-One rumour, current among the manuel Shinwell, the Minister , of

sibilities in the post-war world. SECOND ISSUE

leadership in the pro-Government. mass-circulation Daily Mirror, call- A second (ssue -- methods to ing on the Labour Party to replace achieve a better distribution of Mr Attice, had been inspired by Mr British manpower at home—was probably nearer an agreed solution. Sober observers were not inclined The Cabinet will have to present its to take these reports seriously, but proposals for it to a meeting of the they agreed in regarding them as [National Joint Advisory Council of much more significant than the last Trade Union leaders and employers" wave of reshuffle reports in the representatives on August 6, and is certain to stick to a policy of differential advantages for the undermanned industries, with the support i of a great majority of the Labour

But even here the proposals for dollar crisis, the present Government the appointment of "wage advisers" was confronted with the need of at the Ministry of Labour to implemaking up its mind quickly on a ment this policy are liable to bo

number of decisive issues which it opposed by many unions. A third issue was created by the The other was that, under this campaign for a cutting down of pressure, differences within the Government expenditure for social Cabinet, which have so far pre-services, food subsidies and housing, vented a decision, have become a waged for some time now in indecommon subject of discussion among pendent papers like The Times, on the ground that only a reduction of purchasing power can achieve the necessary contraction of imports.

without a threat of internal inflation. This is firmly rejected by the majority of the Cabinet, not only. for political and social reasons, but. also as unlikely to have the desired Deconomic effect in a situation where large numbers of people could full back on savings to avoid a cut in their expenditure.

It would, most Ministers believe. exasperate the workers and discourage, the production effort without really reducing the demand for

Company technicians devised the ling for telephones would be able to imports. Sir Stafford Cripps, however, is separating sutgoing and incoming. Hongkong has nearly, as many credited with being in sympathy for calls through use of wires arrang- phones as before the war, he point- such proposals as part of a general ed in complicated scientific ed out, but the demand is abnormal programme of confronting the nadue to the great increase in the tion with sacrifices which he believes

Advantages of the new unit are Colony's population. Company to be inevitable. NATIONALISATION

A fourth issue concerns the future of the Government's nationalisation. phone, it was explained by Mr J. P. The shortage of telephone equipa programme—both in Britain and in Sherry, the company's managing ment is worldwide and cannot be Germany.

The nationalisation of the iron and "Wo have been getting equip- steel industries in Britain, proviment faster than most parts of slonally, scheduled by the Governthe world," said the managing ment for the next session of Parlindirector, who recently observed ment, has been thrown into the telephone systems in the United | melting pot again by the pressure States and England. "In many of a section of opinion which urges. respects. Hougkong has been that the risk of obstruction by the leaders of one of Britain's most The Colony's telephone system criteful industries should not be run. overcrowding on heavily loaded required complete overhauling after in the present emergency, and also telephones' and is especially ad- the Japanese surrender, and major that this move might decisively

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EDITORIAL

Don't Play Hide & Seek identified with a large-scale

MAONDAY night's public meet-IVA ing to discuss the Braga home-building scheme accomplished one purpose: it elected a committee to go more fully into the subject. Otherwise the proeccdings were somewhat colourless, and the chief impression left was that of hesitance on the part of the sponsors to commit themselves over costs, sites and types of buildings until certain assurances were obtained from Government. There appears to be a certain amount of mutual suspicion; about this: The homebuilders want official promises of assistance while, it seems, Government requires more solid facts of large-scale building projects before it will associate itself with any of them. The danger of a stalemate is obvious—a stalemate which, if not quickly corrected, can easily kill initiative and interest before these have a chance of demonstrating their good intentions. Onus for the next move clearly rests on Government. The Braga scheme has been well aired in public; its main idea is thoroughly understood. Just how practical it can be depends on the co-operation Government is prepared to offer. The Home-builders are entitled to know, at this stage, whether the Authorities are prepared to support the scheme in principle. This, at least, would dencourage, the committee elected for the purpose of trying to make a paper, proposition a reality, to approach their task with some confidence. Government, if it is to be diandally or olionvise

building project must, in the interests of the public, be fully acquainted with the solid detailsdesign of the proposed buildings; whether they are best suited to meet the needs of the moment; whether construction work can be carried out on a sufficiently imposing scale, and so "on. But there is no reason why Government should stand aloof, offering no sign of encouragement to any scheme, until it possesses all these facts and figures. In his winding up of the Legislative MacDougall frankly declared that Government was prepared is to be hoped that there will not be too much quibbling about that the Braga home-building project argue they cannot fully prove its | gard to the protection of Chinese Invention."-Reuter. practicability unless they are lives and property throughout the given assurances of assistance, such as capital and cheap building sites; if Government, ois its part, insists that it must be given a blueprint down to the last keypended before it can regard a building plan on practical, then Hongkong will have a long walt before its housing problem is solved. Government should not only publicly express its general attitude to the home-building scheme, but should indicate the provisions under which it is willing to give it practical assistance. A game of hide and scele over one word is not the way to produce either houses, flats or bungalows.

Dr Yeh's statement said: "Since the renewal of the armed conflict

between the Netherlands forces and the Indonesians as a result of military action taken by the Netherlands Government in the regions concerned, Chinese nationals there have become the victims of the Indonesian's scorched earth policy and have suffered heavy losses in lives and property. "It is with grave concern that the

Chinese Government views the repeated acts of arson and violence inflicted upon the innocent nationals by the Indonesian army, which constitute a serious offence against international law and humanity.

As India's reference of the

was awaited today, a Dutch Foreign

hlad no confirmation yet that India

pute was denied at the Hague,

peated acts of arson and violence"

tionals; said a Reuter message from

CHINESE VICTIMS

consider the matter.

Nanking.

Chinese communities in the Netherlands East Indics had already sustained irreparable losses in lives and ment, had observed strict neutrality, Palestine. "Now that fighting has resumed and the Chinese nationals in Inserious consequences of such terrorists executed. lawless acts on the part of their to assist any practical scheme troops and to order those troops to of physical violence. which would contribute towards | refrain strictly from further acts of

Netherlands East Indies."

WAR FRONT REPORTS Réports from the war fronts in Indonesia today told of a continued hole and the last cent to be ex- Dutch advance, admitted by the Republicans. from the north coast town of Tegol, west of Semarang, in Java, while the early fall to the l Dutch forces of the east Java inland Republican communique said that a three years. few miles south of Malang, Kepand-

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Given New Powers To

ced in a decree to-day.

British troops were today warned that the Irgun Zval Leumi group

Sports On Back Page

Latest sports news and results. including county cricket and the opening of Goodwood, will be found on the back page.

terrorists were carried out.

Most owners obeyed under threat

Held Negro Maid In Slavery

San Diego, California, July 29 .---

jen had been attacked by Dutch Mrs Ingalls was placed on probat vantageous to industries and offices replacements were necessary. Much lantagonise American. Congressional forces, who, it was claimed were re- tion for five years with the provision where many people use the line. of the work has been done, but opinion on the eve of vital loan decipulsed. that she paid the maid \$0,000 for her Mr. Sherry could not prophiby officials said it would not be com- slons. when the hundreds of people wait pleted for "many months." services. United Press.

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O you want to write a column, do you? I mean U the three of you who wrote in and said you wanted to write a column.

All right. Imagine you are me. You have some paper and a pencil and a vocabulary of a few hundred words. These are the tools of your trade, reduced to bare essentials.

What are you going to do about it? There is the blank sheet of paper in front of you, blanker even than your mind, which is at least thinking of something, even if it is only thinking, "I wish I hadn't a blank sheet of paper in front of me with nothing to put on it."

With that pencil and that sheet of paper you can do anything or nothing. Your limited vocabulary can be used to write drivel or the lovellest poem the world has ever heard. The best writing has been woven with the simplest words.

Are you getting nervous already? equipped because he was blind, teeming with so many ideas that Keats was not a robust, healthy you feel cramped, ch? fellow like you and was cometimes hungry in a world of plenty.

guished in poventy while nincom- to fill. poops grew fat and billious on the inbour of others. You, at least, have your rations. Never in our history

omelette and start vour new career office. Some of us are educated,

Write a sonnet

WIHAT'S the trouble now? You VV haven't had a very good education?

Don't let that worry you. Dickens had no education worth mentioning. H. G. Wells educated himself. Shakespeare was hardly the public school boy of his period.

That's why public school boys of later periods tried to prove that he didn't write his own works. They felt that if England's greatest poet never went to a public school it rather let public schools down.

by NATHANIEL GUBBINS

cometimes cramps your style and that I have forgotten what it was. narrows your vision, if you don't read the right books.

writes nothing but a column of quotations, which is nice work if you can get paid for it, though it won't get you far with the reading the story of the century."

Why are you sucking your pencil instead of getting on with the job?

ped than you; Milton not so well have so much to say, your mind is write your pille in six lines?"

Wait till-you've been writing a column for some years and you'll Many an English post has lan- curse every inch of space you have

And what's wrong with writing a sonnet? They're only fourteen lines long. So you've got plenty of space good sonnets we'd print them in You can leap out of bed this smaller type to get them in. We're Critics of the drama do that. minute, swallow your dried egg very fond of good poetry in this

In fact, we would be very grateful if you would write us just one at school. sonnet-one sonnet of lovely sounds, of beautiful thoughts in the simple words a little child would use.

Just using the right words in the right order.

If you're still worried about not having enough space for your self-

Besides too much book learning journalism. In fact, it was so big

Panting in front of the night editor, I asked him how much Too much book learning can also should write about it. Without turn you into a columnist who looking up from his desk he said.

Looking up for a moment to glare at me through his glasses, he

of all time was described in two are wonderful, that's different, i cult. Oh, I see. You don't think you words. They were, 'Jesus wept,' can see you're still young. Chakespeare was no better equip- have chough space, don't you? You Are you trying to tell me you can't

> I wrote 'my plffle in six lines. He cut them down to three.

Try politics

WIELL, well, well. So you haven't YY written your first line yet?

And none of that baby stuff like 'My Life," by A Flowerpot. We did that in the kindergarten when I was

Polities? Yes, you could write As for mistakes, the world is ful about politics, I suppose. I've got of Mr Put-You-Rights. A member That's all there is to it, anyway. silly people is part of the game. glad I've got it right now.

By the way, what are your expression, I will tell you a story of politics? You're not sure?. You like some things and you don't like . When I was, a young reporter I enough. Even if you support a rushed breathless and sweating into Government there is no reason why Oh, Well. Yes. my office, with what I thought was you should agree with everything it the greatest story in the history of does.

After all, if you felt obliged to agree with everything a Government slld that would be more like Fascism than Democracy. Or like Com-

What are you going to write about politics anyway? You don't know? O.K. Let's skip it. .

Books? Yes, but that's usually done by book reviewers. It's the easiest job in journalism, and vou can always sell the books after you've reviewed them. In the hide-outs of the tougher gangs of Chelsen it's known as a sweet racket.

Sex? 'That's a good line so long as you keep it clean. Try attacking women. They love it, and so do I said, "Six lines? But this is most of your men readers, though one or two of the old school may write in and threaten to punch your nose. You needn't worry. They

After women, the next subject on the columnist's list is doggles. Are you for or against doggies?

You like doggies? Well, that's a pity. A pity because there are two certain ways of getting renders ! No, it's no use writing about a write to you, if you want readers to So you needn't languish in poventy, for several sonnets. If they're very film you've seen. Film columnists write to you. One is to attack dog-

> Once, after I had launched vicious attack on doggles, a reader wrote in and said I was "a dirty, filthy foreign Communist and ought to be hanged." So you can see the feeling about it.

myself into enough trouble writing of the Athenneum Club once took an essay in the interpretation of about politics myself so I don't see the trouble to write a letter to me darkness on two planes. The chief why you shouldn't. Getting into pointing out that she-wolf should be trouble and being misunderstood by spelt with a hyphen. I hope he's

First line

Of course, I'm all in favour simplicity. Simplicity is fine. don't you think that could described as over-simplification?

what it means without wasting word. If you want to state the fact noises in his imagination are silent. a cat sat on a mat you couldn't state it better.

But where do you go from there? mat? What happened after that?

When I said use, simple words that a child would use I didn't mean you had to be childish.

You're not crying, are you? Not a big man like you?

game we're playing.

Let's throw away the nasty pencl and the nasty blank sheet of paper, shall we? And go and have dinky-

the managing director of a factory, or somedling easy like that.

$\mathbf{W}\mathbf{A}\mathbf{Y}$ by Beachcomber

POCKET CARTOON

Grable's "Hamlet." are so per-"Young man, the greatest tragedy. Of course, if you think women plexing that comment is diffi-

> The other day a grocer said to a customer: "You can't have the lecks unless you have some apples." "Can I have the apples without the lecks?" asked the customer. "I thought it was the leeks you wanted." said the grocer, "It is," said the customer. "Then you can't have the upples," said the grocer, but if you take the leeks, you must have the

PLAY by Mme. Kodliva Oyul is

A bold experiment

to be breadcast for that highly polished section of the public which does not like Boogie Bright in "Swing It, Sallor!" The radio version of the play has been made by Ura Krottin, and it is described as character is an told man who lives in a railway tunnel. The line is disused, so no trains come by. But the old man can imagine trains passing. This will be siggested others? I see. Well, that's fair WHAT? You have written your by the nelses of trains. Then a WW first line? Let's have a look? little g'rl enters the tunnel, and imitates the noise of a train. The old man thinks the line has been re-But opened and goes away. The little be girl is heard shouting: "All change for Manjulik. Mejld Euzu, Kasta The-cat-sat-on-the-mat is a good mum, Yozgad, Tefeni and Bashsentence. It's a lovely sentence. Qualit". When the old man comes It's perfect English. It says exactly back the girl has gone, and the train-

Britain can Fake it

MAN who was assured by a grocer that the sausage he bought contained nothing but pure What kind of a cat? What sort of sawdust, complained that, on analya mat? Why did the cat sit on the sis, the sausage was made of pulped

Kabmansgesellschaft

PROMINENT nonentity has sug-A gested that copies of the "List of Huntingdonshire Cabmen" should be sent to Germany, to help the Subsidiary causes of death are to Never mind. You don't have to empaign for the democratic redo entirely with the reader. For write n column, do you? It's only a education of the people. He says that young Germans could not fail to be impressed by the stress laid on the individual, and the fact that no cabman is more important than any other. Professor Huxley and his fellow-rationalists are said to be Then you can run along and be preparing a simplified List for German children. For example: WOD-GER, A. F.

Norah Trudgeon

held up an apple in her kitchen window to invite Cecil Stewart inside, her husjealous and became brought suit for divorce against

His petition was dismissed, but Judge J. W. Scobell Armapple: "Had the wife been reading the first chapter of Genesis? If so....she would realise that it is not a story which is very creditable to Eve."

But no. Eve was no sinner. She created curiosity, our greatest virtue. She showed a spark of that light which has informed the lives of all our greatest explorers, scientists set the world alight.

It is the cautious ones, the mean-minded and rapacious who shielding his wife from the Alexander's own knighthood came have destroyed us. Curiosity never killed anything, least all a cat.

Chivalry

HARTLEY SHAWCRCSS, Knight, dived into the water to to all: But so few have the time rescue a girl aged eight. The act to enjoy this fruit of democracy. had some, but not all, of the virtues of chivalry.

The dictionary says those virtues are: A knightly dignity, courtesy, bruvery, respect for right, respect It Mr Maurice Cranston-the de- Prevention of Cruelty to Animals). for womanly dignity, and purity, tective novels is dead. Primary These saucers whize around the and a military address. The cause of death is that the reader has world as tremendous speeds looking knights of old, by industry, somes become eleverer, shrewder, smarter, for Cheshire cats (whose grins, as times managed the lot. We are not and generally more wised-up than is well known, are fast disappearalways so industrious.

For instance, I met a man back strong had this to say about the frem holiday. He said: "We hired a cer and we had a nightmare drive along a eliff. 1 thought the man was drunk and was sure he would topple us over every yard we went. When we got back to the hotel said to the wife: "I didn't want to tell you at the time, my dear, but I was sure that man was going to

> Why didn't he stop the car and let his wife get out?

and philosophers. Indeed, she stop a car in full and easy function, should set up an honours list for Is that so discreditable? — would be a denial of nearly all man trey the American way of life.

> His chivalry slopped short at thought of danger, Whereas the old knights laboured.

They had a Party Line. Nobody film, "Lady Hamilton." outside their military order was -allowed to practise these peculiar virtues, although they might do so on the sly.

Now it is common to all and open

Who-dun-it's fate

A CALIN It is suid-this time by

Secondary cause is a . changed society where it is no longer possible to agree to policemen being fools, criminals, cunning and gentlemen of leisure, supremely clever. It is more likely true today to say that policemen are compromisers, criminals deserters, and gentlemen of leisure Bevin Boys.

whereas the who-dun-it used to be the prime relaxation of Prime Ministers, it has now swung so far away from the balance of cool detection towards the masty extremes of violence and cruelty that its main appeal is to the subnormal reader.

A corpse to Sherlock Holmes was a specimen. It has become in our rough times a bloody carcase.

Honours

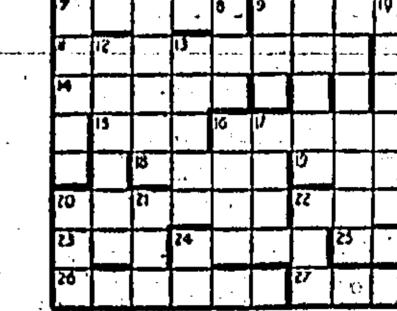
I'm sure he never thought of it, SIR ALEXANDER KORDA is redence on mechanical transport. To the suggestion is that U.S. Congress just because a passenger is atraid, nevers who best establish and por-

> 'Yet it is well known that Sir from the deep emotion Mr Churchill felt during the war at sight of his

> And it that wasn't the English way of life then both Mr Churchill and Mr Korda were wrong. Which is absurd.

Cat and saucer

KNOW what these flying saue cers are. They are real saucore filled with milk by A.S.P.C.A. (Astral Society for the



and 10 Down. You may keep.

indoors for safety, but you take 21. Branch of the Army in Great it out as a safequard. (2, 6)

Reas. (3)

Reas. (4)

Reas. (5)

Reas. (6)

Reas. (7)

Reas. (8)

Reas. (8)

Reas. (8) in this. (8)

20. It has a rousing ring. (0)

12. Just have a taste. (6)
13. It's the deer I get down from. 10. It's a weighty driver. (4)
17. You may need this to go slam.
(4)
20. Entirely, (3)

25. The man from the theatre, (2) 26. Rustle for a change, (6)

L. Many a one has been glistening

A camp hawker. 164 In this form we might represent

the States, (2).

• Where the monkey reaches for

Habit 131

the unknown. (4)

5. A hero of Troy. (6)
6. A genus of ferns. (8)
8. The age of veracity. (3)
10. See I Across.

Bolution of yesterday's puzzle .- Across and 7 Down, Battle of Haitings; B. 15. With the owl in you'd have one Orchid: 10, Spa: 12, Ugly: 13, likes: way of being out. (8)

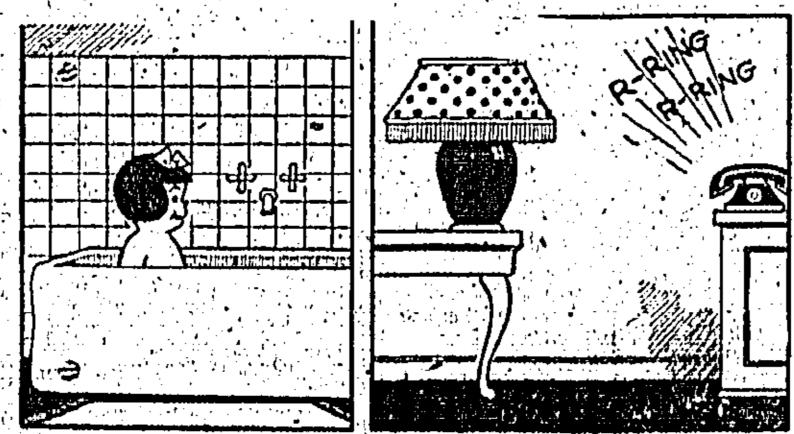
16. A certain native. (5)

18. This thing is no imitation. (4)

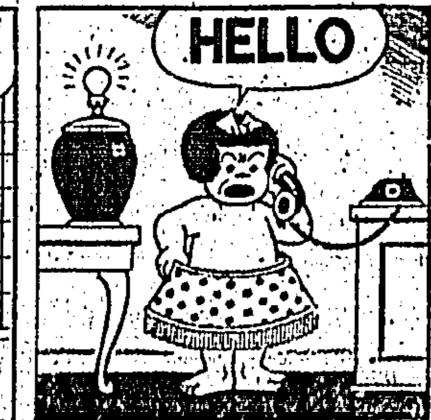
19. Initially they believe in tanks. Argus: 5, Thy: 4, Liberator: 5, Edict: 19, Osteology: 7, See 1 Across: 9, Clipped: (8)

20. It has a rousing ring. (6)

NANCY Just a Light Robe







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STAR SHINE!

player uses a I'p brush to apply her says Reno. lipstick in a smooth outline,

Red Head! Jennette MacDonald with the fine textured, delicate skin head-fitting cap of White satin, hundredth anniversary meeting, exof the true Red Hend, smooths a studded with White sequins. It plained that drivers' collars may thin film of cold cream on her face makes her look like a Snow Angell press too strongly against the sides before applying her powder foun- A White crepe cacktail suit, with of their necks when they turn their dation. A good trick in dry weather simple, fluid lines, and a blouse heads to one side. If these drivers or on windy days,

Brave Girl! Hillary Brooke, who wears a very subtle struct makeup, would like to appear before the camera without mritcup. She has a beautiful tan. Hilkery sounds like a Brave Girl but anyone whose skin ds so immoculately cared for need have no worries. Nightly rerubbing with a complexion brush, followed by a generous application of cream to prevent dryness, is Hillary Brooke's ritual.

Tick Tock! Monogram Pletures storlet Reno Browne has time on her ears, with a clever pair of Gold





'If you have a Round face, with frizzy hair, coif it close to your head. Don't look like a Frizzy Lizzie! The frizzy hair needs a shampoo to add luster. Try the allin-one iden—a soapless shampoo which conditions the hair. Deep hair brushing adds to the smooth, shiny look. The Round face also calls for high lines in hat and hair!

carrings which are facsimiles of

wears a jewelled cocktail hat; a American Medical Association's frosted at the neekline-with sequins, happen to have extra-sensitive

STRATFORD FOLK DANCE FESTIVAL

Stratford-on-Avon, birthplace of William Shakespeare, will be the meeting place from August Press. 1 to 9 of folk dancers from all parts of England. They will arrive to attend the Stratfordon-Avon Folk Dance Festival. arranged by the English Folk Dance and Song Society.

Some hundreds of dancers will be present, and 'teams from various villages will participate. One of the teams comes from Bampton in Oxfordshire, where folk dancing has been taught from generation. generation for at least 500 years.

There are six men in a team and they wear knee pads with tinkling bells, white trousers and headgear rus, mbling-the modern bowler hats.

Many of the folk dancers wea white. This is stated to be due to the fact that in remote times, England's primitive dancers attended pagan festivals and greeted the arrival of spring in white. Today the white is frequently brightened with red, green, yellow and blue.

Many teams bring "fools" with them, quaintly attired clowns who run in and out of the dancers and amuse spectators by their comic actions. There is also the richly attired hobby-horse, which was seen at most pageants in ancient Eng-

The folk dancers will perform in the halls, gardens and the streets of Stratford.

SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



"At your ago: I should think you'd seen so much love and remance that you'd be crazy about murder pictures!"

ALLIED MERCHANT SHIPPING LOSSES IN THE TWO WARS

The principal differences in merchant ship losses caused by U-boats in the first and second World Wars were the difference in the rate of losses and the difference in the average size of ships sunk.

In the first World War losses averaged nearly 95 merchant ships per month compared with 41 per month in the second World War. The average tonnage sunk per month in both wars, however, was approximately the same at 215,000 gross tons, the average size of ships sunk in the second World War being 5,250 gross tons as against 2,300 gross itons in 1914-18.

14,573,000 gross tons, were sunk, and in the first World War covering a period of 51 months, 4,897 merchant vessels, totalling 11,135,000 gross tons, were sunk. These figures cover | Also from June, 1940, Germany losses due to U-boats only, and had a pariner in Europe, who came do not include ships sunk by 100 U-boats, while, until December mines or other causes.

DRIVERS MAY BLACK OUT

The motor car driver who wears a stiff collar may be in danger of losing consciousness momentarily while driving, according to clock faces. "Thank Heaven they Corneille Heymans, the scientist Martha Vickers. Warner Bros. don't tick, I couldn't stand that!", who won a Nobel Prize in medi-

> Snow Angelf Penny Singleton Dr' Heymans, speaking at the completes a breathtaking ensemble, nerves in the neck controls, he said, of the United States into the war. they are apt to "black out momen-

> > The human body has two nerve centre controls, he told newsmen. the neart, where the nerves feel as it comes from the heart: the other is in the neck, one division on each side. The nortic centre the first safety valve, in maintaining blood circulation," while the neck centre "is the safety valve to make sure the brain gets enough blood.

Fainting and some form of dizziness are due to diminished blood in brain, he sald.—Associated

THEY EVEN TAX RELIGION

Muaiama Saifa Nadvi, a Moslem editor, says an influential group of Indian Moslem theologians is attempting do organise Mohammedans throughout the world to demand abolition of the Saudi Arabian tax on the holy pilgrimage to Meccaabout US\$155 for each pilgrim.

"The pilgrimage to Mecca to pay homage-to-the-Prophet-is-a-sacred thing for which Moslems sometimes save for nearly a life-time," he says. are an important economic factor to tonnage) went down. Saudi Arabia, India annually sends about 20,000 pllgrims to Mecca to pray at the Prophet's tomb."--Associated Press.

In the second World War overing a period of 68 months, as in the covering a period of 68 months, as in the second World War U-boats had a far second World War U-boats had a far treater operational range and almost treater operational

1941, Britain was left practically alone to face the onslaught.

In the War of 1914-18, it was Ger many (except for Austria-Hungary, whose naval strength was negligible) who was alone with the naval forces of practically the whole World against her, yet in 1914-18 her U-boats were able to sink merchant ships at more than double the monthly rate nchieved in 1939-45.

One of the main reasons for the lower rate in the second World War was undoubtedly, the putting into operation of the convoy system from the very beginning, whereas in the first World War oversta convoys were not fully operative until about October 1917. The monthly loss rate of merchant ships in the recent | Corps or return to Poland. war would have been even lower but for some heavy losses incurred during the first s'x months of 1942, Chuter Ede, Home Secretary, made whilst the convoys in the Eastern a statement in the Commons recent-Atlantic and Caribbean were being ly explaining his power to make such organised following upon the entry deportations.

Counter-Measures

Other reasons for the lower loss makes a recommendation if he rate in 1939-45 may be found in the One is the aortic arch, just above more effective counter-measures public good." which it was possible to take and measure the pressure of blood against the U-boats by the use of to force men to return to Poland modern weapons and devices such against their will," said Mr Ede. as aircraft, radar, rockets, ctc. "It would, however, be wrong for "Is Shipping was also less numerous them to think that because they are than in 1914-18, and there were unwilling to return they can conconsequently fewer targets to attack, tinue indefinitely to be paid and and the enemy in his main en- maintained in Britain. deavour to cut off our vital supplies probably concentrated on the larger

> The effectiveness of the anti-U-boat measures is shown by a comparison of the number of U-boats of these offers, the only possible destroyed in the two wars. In the recent war it is estimated that Allied course is to send him elsewhere and Forces destroyed an average of 111/2 make it clear to him that he can Germin U-boats per month; in no longer look to us for help." 1914-18 the losses of German sub-"I am at present maintaining in this marines of all types were estimated as 178, or 31/2 per month.

> The number of British merchant or religious views, if any, would vessels (excluding fishing vessels) | make them non-acceptable to their lost by enemy action during the war | native country." was 2,426, with a gross tonnage of 11,331,933. Of these 1,332 (7,595,045 gross tonnage) were destroyed by U-boats, 296 (816,255 gross tonnage) by mines, 209 (969,087 gross tonnage) by surface craft, 383 (1,575,230 gross tonnage) by aircraft and 206 (375,-710 gross tonnage) by other or un-

Heaviest losses were suffered These tens of thousands of visitors 1941 when 717 ships (2,824,058 gross) In addition, 136 fishing vessels of

24,525 tons were lost. Here again 1941 was the heavlest year of loss, 55 vessels being destroyed.

Madderty, Perth. has just flown the Atlantic 200 times. He is the second Scot and the third Briton to complete his "double century" of North Atlantic flights, the others being Captain "Buddy" Messenger, of Hertfordshire, and Captain W.L.S. Stewart, of Edin-

burgh.

FATHER WAS POISONED, MOTHER DIED OF GRIEF

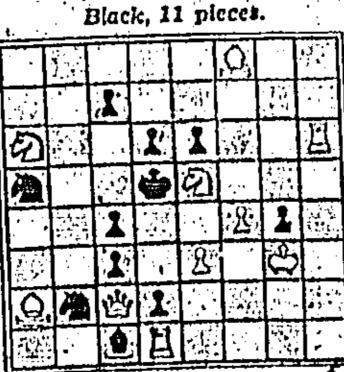
Two little Polish orphans from Changchun, whose father was poisoned by the Japanese for refusing to collaborate with them, are among the 700 passengers in the UNRRA-chartered repatriation ship, Marine Lynx, which left Shanghai on Friday.

They are five-year-old Annal then they have been under the care and 10-year-old George Sikora, of a French convent in Changehun.

Anna has never seen Poland for she was born in Manchucia, and parents left Poland with him, that their "native land" will be new country to both of them. .Their mother died of grief shortly after their father's death! Since

CHESS PROBLEM

By W. PREISWERK



White, 10 pieces. White to play and mate in three. Solution to yesterday's problem:

1. Q Q7, any : 2, 15 (dis ch), or Il mutes.

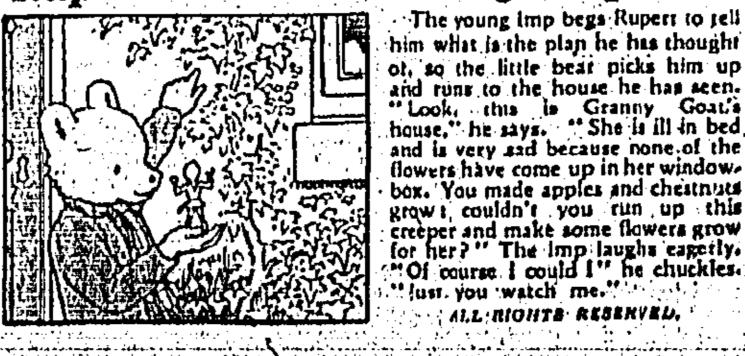
pointed a BOAC Captain in 1940. who are en route to Poland almost as well as he does Chinese where relatives will care for and Russian, and curly-haired Anna were flown to Shanghal by the U.S. Army Air Force so they could board the repatriation ship. As . normal George was only a tiny tot when his communications out of Changehun are disrupted at this time, it would have been impossible for the cholera and plague, according to the ennual report of the Public Health children to have made the repatriation ship except for this service.

There will be other Polish persons of India. aboard the repatriation ship, for the Crustowski family with their two of sanitation and an almost total sons went from Tienisin to join the absence of controlled and protected UNRRA group of repatriates: Most of the 700 refugees abourd of deaths.

ship will be repatriated to their former homes in Austria. The next arrangements are totally inadequate targest group is composed of Ger- to meet the needs of the people. mans, and there are smaller numbers of Italians, Hungarians and arrangements and lack of transport Czechozlovakians returning to their add to the country's difficulties,-

Rupert and the Young Imp-31

Associated Press.



him what is the plan he has thought ot, so the little bear picks him up and runs to the house he has seenhouse," he says. "She is ill in bed, and is very and because none of the flowers have come up in her windowbox. You made apples and chestnuts grow t couldn't you run up this creeper and make some flowers grow for her?" The imp laughs eagetly. "Of course I could I" he chuckles. Just, you watch me. " http://www. ALL: RIGHTS RESERVED.

TO-DAY

I DONT

ANYONE CAN KEEP

SEE HOW

WARM IN

The Poles

About 5,000 Poles in Britain

Recently 105 were deported to the

Under the Aliens Order, sald Mr

Ede, he was empowered to make a

deportation order when no court

"deems it to be conducive to the

"It is not the Government's policy

Only Course

"The alternative offered to those

"If a man will not accept either

In reply to a question Mr Ede said:

country some notorious criminals be-

cause they suggest that their political

CROSSINGS

Commanding a BOAC Con-

stellation aircraft between New

York. Shannon and: London.

Captain Donald Anderson. of

So far as is known they are the

first three men in the world to com-

plete 200 North Atlantic air cross-

Aged 36, Captain Anderson has,

in 8,000 hours in the air, flown well

over 1,000,000 mlles. He started

flying in 1932 at the Scottish Flying

INDIA RIDDEN

BY DISEASE

India is still the largest world

source of such diseases as smallpox,

Commissioner for the Government

Chronic mainutrition, a low level

water supplies, also are given as

main reasons for the high incidence,

The report says existing health

Poor vaccination and inoculation,

European routes.

Renfrew. He later joined Airways and flew on the

He was ap-

ATLANTIC

unwilling to return is that, they

should join the Resettlement Corps

or emigrate._

British Zone of Germany and Mr

will not join the Resettlement

not go

THOSE

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Britannia Shield Competition

.. Five inations-Belgium, Czechosloyakia, France, the Netherlands and note that no advertisements Norway—have so far accepted the with the exception of urgent invitation to send teams of sportsmen from their armed forces to re- notices) will be accepted bethe Britannia Shield, to be held in tween the hours of 12.30 noon Britain during Battle of Britain Saturdays, and 9 s.m. on Mon-Week, September 15 to 21.

The competition is restricted to days. ?' nations which took part in the Battle of Britain or whose forces were From and including Mondays assembled on British soil between to Fridays, copy for the following 1940 and 1945, and the shield; which to Fridays, copy for the following is made of oak from London's Guild-days must be submitted not later hall, will be awarded to the nation whose teams score the highest aggre- than 4 p.m. gate number of points in boxing, cross-country, running, fencing, shooting and swimming, in all of which sports Great Britain will be represented by teams from the Royal

NOTICE

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WHY AMERICA IS HELPING GREECE

Washington, July 29 .- Chairman Charles Eaton, of the House Foreign Affairs Committee, told the press today that firm American support of Greece was necessary to prevent Russia from overrunning "not only Greece but Turkey, Iran and India."

He said: "In Greece there is mic needs and United States capacity a spark that might ignite the to fill them under the Marshall Plan world again. We are the only Mr Enton described what he behope that the Greek Govern- lleved to be Russla's plans for exment and people have to enable pansion as the "grimmest facts that them to remain an independent ever confronted mankind." He said people. We have assumed that responsibility—we must carry it through.

them to remain an independent the situation "can only be met by intelligence, courage and absolute determination on our part."

Most Difficult Job

member House Committee that will of politics." undertake to survey European econo-

DIMITROV IN

ZAGREB

Bulgarian Premier, Georgi

Dimitrov, today told cheer-

ing crowds in the Croatian

capital of Zagreb that only

people with weak brains

could be intimidated by

Dimitrov, who was greet-

ed at Zagreb station by the

Croatian Premier, Dr

Vladimir Bakarich, said:

atom bombs.

Belgrade, July 29.—The

"If we quit Greece, Russia will take over, and the implications of that are simply appalling. Russia State, has the most difficult and would take Turkey, Iran and India responsible job in the world at the and would try to go right on around time. It is a Godsend to this nation. Asia unfil she could take the world." to have a man of his character, in addition to being Chairman of Papacity and experience to handle the Foreign Affairs Committee, Re- the job of Secretary of State now. presentative Enton is in line to be op- He needs and must have the sup-pointed Chairman of the Special 10- port of his fellow citizens regardless

Representative Eaton said it was "absolutely essential" that a survey be made of economic needs abroad and conrtibutions that the United States could make towards filling them without disrupting the Ameri- promitment measure measurement and the state of can economy.

"If the world goes to pleces, our economy sooner or later will dragged down," he said.
The special House Committee plans to visit Europe and noid hearings in this country.—United

.Guerillas' Strategy Yanning, July 29.—Military observers today credited the guerilla forces with completely outwitting the Greek Army and nullifying the fivemonth Army campaign to trap the rebels in a steel ring.

The reinforced Greek Army began to roll the bandits back month with a wide-fronted push through Central Greece. Hardpressed, the rebels were slowly forced back into the Kastoria-Floring area, with the border at their backs, and the advancing army attempting to drive the guerillas ncross the border or exterminate

In a brilliant piece of strategy the rebels arranged to cross into Yugoslavia, secure new arms and equipment and head towards the west coast. They moved along the Yugoslav-Albanian border until they came to what they considered the weakest section of the Greek-Albanian frontier, 35 miles from the sea, in the vicinity of Yannina.

Army Outflanked The rebels then struck across the border, outflanking the Greeks and headed south, paralleling the coast. They fought their first skirmish near Konitza and then moved towards Yannina, and apparently never itended to attack. They bypased Yannina and wheeled inland heading for their original home grounds in Kozani, leaving the army between them and

The army was now forced to reverse itself and sweep south or being among smouldering ruins of gin the operation all over again Yokohama and Tokyo areas. from the south.

Military experts said the rebel attack on Gravina cost them heavy last night in the 7,000 ton casualties, estimated by some at Norwegian nitrate ship, Ocean 500 out of a force of 2,000, but the attack was needed to gain food and loot before, disappearing into the Kozani Mountains.

These experts doubted whether the rebels would emerge from the mountains soon for another a largescale attack, especially since they tims, had succeeded in thwarting the overall Greek strategy of driving them from the country or annihilating them.—United Press.

Mercy

DAB . . . AND FLOUNDER

by Walter



It was the eleventh time in bla's Alfonso Lopez told the Council

that the United States was directly in-

volved in the Balkans crisis through

Senor Lopez remarked acidly that

JEWS WILL

NOT LAND

have to be solved at Cabinet

The refugees, from the ship

grateful, but we are former mem-

bers of the resistance who fought

Germany and want to go to Pales-

tine. We shall not land here alive."

M. Colaveri said the immigrants

The press Attache to the British

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Kongmoon (Sea) 4 p.m. Bangkok, Singapore, Batavia, Colombo,

Sydney and Auckland (Air) 3.30 p.m. Canton, Amoy, Foochow and Shanghal

Macao, Tsinshan & Shekki (Sea) 8 a.m.

Friday, August 1

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Marsellies and London (Air) 330 p.m. Japan (ordinary letters and cards only)

Basra, Calro, Johannesburg, Augusta,

Shanghai (Sea) Noon. Formosa via Keelung (Sea) Noon.

Wednesday, July 30

Manila, P.I. (Sea) 3 p.m. Macao, Tsinshan & Shekki (Sea) 4 p.m.

Kongmoon (8ea) 4 p.m. Bangkok, Rangoon, Calcutta, Karachi

Basta, Cairo, Johannesburg, Augusta,

Margeilles and London (Air) 3.30 p.m.

had at least enough air and space

to move about.

FRANCE

RUSSIANSVETOPROPOSAL FOR BALKAN COMMISSION

Lake Success, July 29.—Russia today killed with her veto an American proposal to establish an 11-nation border watch commission in the Balkans. Soviet Deputy Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko calmly raised his hand todefeat the resolution after abstaining throughout 10 preliminary paragraph

Army And State Dept. At Odds

Washington, July 29.— The Secretary of War. Mr Kenneth Royall, left for Europe today by plane in an effort to settle the feud between Army officers and the State Department over occupation policies.

The War Department said that Royall will confer with General Lucius Clay. Gen Clay and certain State Department officials have been at odds for more than a year over ways of reviving German production considered essential to the economic recovery of Europe.—United Press.

POLIO CASES IN JAPAN

Yokohama, July 29.-Twentyeight pollomyelitis cases, of which nine were of a mild non-paralytic type but three resulting fatally, have been reported this year among the occupation forces, largely around the the Commission, which the Western

Announcing this, the Eighth Army headquarters sald that as a precaution children's wading pool at Yokohama has now been closed:

Anny hospitale are using every modern resource to combat the discase, including the Kenney method, and GHQ specialists have set up a special ward in the 361st Station Hospital to handle all vic-

The health authorities are redoubling efforts and sanitary precautions to protect GIs.—United Press.

Plane Shot

United Nations history Russia has invoked the big Russia in opposition.

Herschel V. Johnson, deputy. American delegate, said the Soviet "actually an undeclaced war, regard- no wickets. veto created a "grave situation," and ing which the Security Council called for immediate adjournment of doing nothing."-United Press. the Council to allow delegates to consult their home governments, Later, Johnson told newsmen that his government "does not intend to let go by default."

He declared: "The United States does not consider the situation closed and as soon as practicable will state in the Security Council what the next step will be."

taken is simple abuse of power, a ing among the Big Five on the use on board the three British ships of the veto at the time the United off this port to land in France Australian Board of Control, said: cap to a popular victory. Nations charter was framed in San has created a problem that will "I know of no instruction which

He emphasised that the United-States would seek further action. level, Mr S. E. Kay, British cumstances." "The Balkan situation has not been wiped out by the veto," he said - said here tonight. Associated Press.

Lake Success, July 29.—The United States won a preliminary victory in the Balkans debate when it turned back French and Australian attempts to bar the big powers from the proposed Balkans peace-keeping commission.

France and Australia agreed not to press their proposals after the American delegate, Herschel Johnson, said the United States "feels very strongly" that all 11 nations of France. the Security Council should sit on powers hope to install for at least

two years in the Balkans. A skirmish over composition of the border patrol pushed the Council nearer a showdown, in which Russia must choose between vetoing the American proposals or allowing them to be approved over the objections of three Soviet-supported governments of the Balkans.

Consulate in Marseilles said the re-Before the French and Australian fugees had also refused an offer to proposals for cutting the size of the have the sick taken ashore.-Reuter. Commission—were -shelved, -- Colom- |

An explosion in a beauty parlour rocked the town today and at least two persons were reported to have

The local Red Cross reported two Other, reports from Jogjakarta, A Dutch military spokesman at fatalities and said that the police cd that 15 of the 50 hurt were forces have demobilised themselves molished the beauty parlour and and went home, leaving their mill- also wrecked part of an adjoining admitted in a Republican communi- tory equipment behind them, he jewellery store and damaged an-

> The police believe the explosion modern rifles, mortars, field artillery of heating gas in the rear of the and A.A. guns, their equipment was building was the cause of the blast.

bringing the Indonesian case before POLITICAL AND

Persistent reports credit Mr Morrison with the initiative in the discussions with leaders of the British sentative, Colonel William Hodgson, in have suggested that the Govern-The Australian move, it was be- ment might be content with a mere lleved, might be more urgent than "enabling Will" under which it would Overseas Radio station, fighting was that contemplated by the Indian nationalise only steel undertakings TO-DAY'S

NEW LANDINGS
the United Nations Charter Article
The Republican radio reports said the right to make recommendation also, the Leftwing. In this constant from 12.30 to 11 p.m., and also on 5.22 megacycles in the 31 metre band the carly morning Republican raids

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Six of the Charter, donling with the the shadow of "conlition"—the hope at the Organ; 7.45, Violin Interlude; 7.55, pacific settlement of disputes.

Australia was also understood to be contemplating action under may, under a similar threat of Relay: World News; B.10, London Relay: Chapter Seven. to stop further crisis, abandon its programme and Home News from Britain; 8.15, Studio: "I Bring You Music" Classical Request Programme presented by Marion Glover: 9.15. share power with the Conservatives Mr. J. Singh. President of the as Mr Ramsay MacDonald did in India League of America has cabled 1931. But such an outcome is im-Trust No. 7: 10, London Relay: News; 10.10, Weather Report; 10.11, Ivor Novello Favourites; 10.30, Tunes of Not-Sc-Longfrom New York an invitation to the probable today, when Labour has a Ago (For Dancing); 11, Close Down.

The cable said: "We invite you leaders will seek, at all costs, to to come to the United States. We settle their differences in their own The radio said that the landings, tion of the Liberal and progressive depends most of all on the first

NEWS OF SPORT

Gloucestershire Wins To Share Top Place

London, July 29 .- Forcing a win over Leicestershire during extra time today, Gloucestershire retained a shared leadership in the County cricket table with Middlesex.

and have 164 points. Derbyshire are third with 124,, and time this season, are fourth. The results of games which ended

At Kennington Oval: Surrey drow with Yorkshire. Yorks 353 and 102 for cight (Keighley 50, Laker four for 40). Surrey 371 (Alec Bedser

At Maidslone: Kent drow with Essex, Kent 580 for six declared and 142 for three (Todd 60 not out).

Essex 502 (Pearce 92, Smith 67).

At Leicester: Gloucestershire beat

Leicestershire by 71 runs, Glouces
tershire 267 and 198 for three declared (Emmett 103 not out, Nenle 73 not out). Leicestershire 206 and 188 (Tompkin 58. Cook five for 87, God-

At Frome: Somerset beat Lancashire by 36 runs, Somerset 252 Baroda's Irish Derby winher, 1'50. Hazzel six for 51)

he was glad the Council seemed beat Warwickshire by ten wickets. Warwickshire 98 and 257 (Cranmer, pick up his whip, it did not look as cager to take action in the Balkans 79). Worcestershire 332 and 24 for i case, while in Indonesia there was At Cardiff: Glamorgan bedt Sussex

by four wickets. Glamorgan 338 for eight declared and 154 for six (Davies 74, Dyson 50). Sussex 126 and 362 (Bartlett 76, Cox 104, Oakes

At Nottingham: Middlesex beat

Notts by 287 runs. Middlesex 403 for eight declared and 304 for four declared. Notts 232 and 188.—Reuter. UMPIRE CRITICISED Sydney, July 29.—The action of Frank Chester, one of the umpires,

Pont Du Bouc, July, 29.— in the Leeds test match between Ham Foal Stakes over six furlongs. simple abuse of the veto. In this case it is contrary to the understand- Refusal of the 4,500 immigrants astonished Australia. W. H. Jennes, Secretary of

allows the umpires to order a change of bowlers in any cir-Consul-General in-Marseilles, umpire who stood in the Tests and many arrived breathless and on between England and Australia this foot. While there are no official year, declared: "An umpire cannot figures available, today's crowd must tell a captain not to use certain have besten all records. Most racebowlers. If the light is bad, the goers were dressed in summer at-

President Worfleld, were sent back to France after they had tried unsuccessfully to land in Palestine Mr Kay, who visited the transports with M. Calaveri, Secretarybowling is dangerous to the bats-General of the Bouches Du Rhone Department, said that if the re-W. J. O'Reilly, the former test to its miners today in a search for fugees continued to sit tight the

problem would, be "exclusively grossly overstepped his duty. M. Colaveri brought the im-Australian captain worthy of migrants an official invitation from salt would be dictated to by an the French Government to land, in jumpire in such a manner."-Associated Press. On the first ship, which he visited, the Ocean Vigour, a Jewish spokes-

GOODWOOD RACING

Goodwood, Sussex, July 29.-the premier sprint handleap of the the scheme.

Master of Beckhampton, saddled March: him on the road and dashed him cels will close at 5 p.m. on previous day. overcoming last year's winner, Com- Woodcock. missar, close to home, won a des-White of Wakefield.

In carrying eight stone 10, Close- develop," he added. burn set up a record for a threeyear-old in this event, which is now cluded Will Lawther, President of the 107 years' old. Closeburn, starting National Union, of Mine | Workers, ut 100 to seven, came with a great and the Ministry of Fuel and Power. run at the finish to overcome Com- - Associated Press.

· Both these counties recorded missor, starting at 100 to six, with their 18th victory of the season | Fairey Fulmar one length away third of 10 runners.

Photo Finish Lancashire, beaten for the first the third place, this falling to Fairey Fulmar, who just nosed out Val de Grace, who made most of the running.

. A woman owner, Miss Dorothy Paget brought off the double, winning the Craven Handleap with Fine Prospect and the Richmond Stakes with Birthday Greetings.

Birthday Greetings, a son of the former Derby winner, Blue Peter, won the six furlong Richmond Stakes so easily that he is already, being spoken of as next year'a' Derby winner.

He beat by two lengths the American-bred colt Black Tarquin, owned by Mr. William Woodward, chair-man of the New York Jockey Club. The Maharaja Gackwar of

the Trumun Doctrine and loan agree- and 168. Lanes 189 and 195 (Brierley | Sayajirao, duly landed the odds laid on him to win the Warren Stakes of At Birmingham: Worcestershire one-and-a-half miles, but although the jockey, Edgar Britt, did not if he could have benten the runnerup. Glendower, by much more than the half-length that he won by. King's Colt

The Indian prince looked like landing a double when his filly. Port Blane, was out in front in the fivefurlong Halnaker Stakes, but she failed to last the home stretch and the race fell to the Irish-bred Fair Trial. Richards rode u splendid finish to get him home for his double.

The King's colt, Howdah, once again made favourite, was no match in stopping the use of fast bowlers for the Pride of India in the New The Pride of India, a son of Colombo, and owned by Marry Joel, carthe ried the famous red silk and black

All the world seemed to be at Goodwood, and 35,000 race cards were sold out before the first race. Juck Scott, the famous Australian Traffic blocks stretched for miles correct procedure is for the batsman tire, but one man struggled through to appeal and for the umpire to the sweltering afternoon dressed in allow the appeal if he thinks fast morning coat and top hat.—Reuter.

SEARCH FOR BOXERS London, July 29 .- Britain turned

bowler, stated: "If the facts are new champions to restore the batunderstand them, Chester | tered prestige of British boxing. A nation-wide elimination contest. for amateur boxers among the 720,-000 miners was announced by the National Coal Board in conjunction with the London fight promoter, Jack

"In addition to promoting the man replied: "Tell France we are Glorious Goodwood's four-day meet- miners' interest in sport, we hope ing opened today under a tropical this will attract more men to the sun with a dramatic win for the mines and develop now champions," Yorkshire-trained colt, Closeburn, in said Stanley Newson, Coal Board the Stewards Cup over six furlongs, Public Relations head in announcing

The first elimination matches were This three-year-old was held up set tentatively to begin near the colon his way to the course when a lighes themselves in September. motor coach broke down in front Winners of eight divisional quarter of his horsebox. As time was short, finals in all weights will then be his-trainer,- Noel-Morless, the new brought to London for the finals next

Newson said that the project was into the paddock just in time for conceived during a "very successful" the champion jockey, Gordon Ri- tour of the mining areas by the Unless otherwise stated. Registered the champion jockey, Gordon Ri- tour of the mining areas by the Articles and Parcel Posts close 30 minutes chards, to get him to the post. He American heavyweight Joe Baksi, came back in terrific style and, after he had beaten Britain's Bruce

> "The miners flocked out to see perate finish by a neck for his York- Baksi, a former miner himself, and shire owner. Councillor Richard showed a great interest in boxing, which we want to encourage and

Others who endorsed the plan in-

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peoples cannot be frighten-

Citizens Of Brest Feared Atom Attack

ed."-United Press.

Brest, July 29. - Rescue the border. parties were today still searchthe French port of Brest for victims of the giant explosion Liberty.

Two-thirds of the painstakingly rebuilt parts of the war-damaged port are again uninhabitable:

- This--morning's---efficial---list---ofensualties gave 15 dead, but unomcial estimates said 20 had died. Five hundred are seriously wounded and several hundred slightly injured. In addition to nitrates the ship

carried furs and motor cars. Crates

of furs and crates of Packard cars could be seen scattered along the quayside, and in the streets today. The captain of the ship, Hervein Holzt, was killed on a small vessel patrolling around the Ocean Liberty while she was being tugged out to sea in an attempt to stave off the dispster,

He was the last to leave his ship. The 35 men of the crew are all safe and unhurt and today awaited me structions for repatriation.

Most of the 88,000 citizens or Brest, fearing an "atom bomb" attack when the ship exploded, fled the on the north coast of central Java, city in panic. The blg clock at the Brest railway

-the time of the explosion.-Reuter. Dead Number 20 Brest, July 20.-Henri Lullien, Mayor of Brest, said today that me of the nitrate-carrying Norwegian Titjalengka from Tandiongsari. ship, Ocean Victory, in Brest harbour last night was "in the neigh-

adopted war-torn Brest-learned of attacking planes dropped grenades the tragedy while in the train on and straffed Klaten near Surakarta

bourhood of 20."

gravely injured but that those suf- attacked. fering from less serious wounds Local sources said that by 2 p.m. today the many fires started continuing, the Communique added. by the explosion, which had covered the city in a pall of smoke, had been

mastered. The wrecked city, already battered by incessant bombings throughout the war, presented a tragic spectacle. The streets were littered with dobris, thitered shreds of clothing and jagged piles of shattered glass which crunched underfoot as people went looking for members of their families. Throughout the night, terrified shipped by the Dutch from the north women and children fled gut into the Java port of Cheribon will be taken countryside fearing further explosions.-United Press.

PREMISES TO LET

FULLY FURNISHED suites, double or Sumatro's cast coast yesterday, ac-single rooms in Homuntin Hill Road, Kowloon: ideal for Europeans: Transport cording to a broadcast today over Sc board available, if desired: To avoid the Republican radio, rush call at Room 101, 32 Queen's Road. The radio said that to moderate terms. Were resisted. Two Di

said that the situation at Malang the Hogue today said: "All Indone- and firemen volunteers were searhad "returned to normal" after the slan forces surrendering to the Dutch ching the wreckage for possible repulse of the Dutch spear-heads, are disarmed and sent home, except other victims. The hospital report-

| north of the city. The Dutch advance from Tegal, towards the port of Pekalengan was station stopped at 4.20 p.m. GMT que. The fighting which began at said. down today continued all day round Tjitjalengka, southeast of Bandung, a Republican army communique stated. It added that a Dutch convoy of 45 vehicles was moving towards

near Bandung. The communique, confirming the two Dutch air-raids on the Jogia-M. Lullien, who has just been on karta airfield today, said that two a visit to Glasgow-which has people were killed when one of the (on the railway, northeastwards to The Mayor said that as far as ne | Sourabaya), Panasan and Bojolall in could learn, there were about 100 the Surakarta district were also

Bandung, near the prowar Dutch

At Pengalengan, ten miles south of

on the north coast port of Semarang | breaches of peace. and on Salatiga, further south. These wern the first offensive air actions reported by the Indonesians.

The first cargoes of captured rubber and other tropic products to be 16 America in an American-owned vessel, it was learned in Batavia to-

Dutch troops, from soven ships

landed at Tjermin, 40 miles from Tebingtinggi, in the Medan area of Sjahrir to visit the United States.

supported the landing.

for dangerous elements". Many members of the Indonesian seriously injured. The blast

Although the Indonesians had very much of a hotch-potch, partly -United Press. of Dutch, Japanese and Allied origin. AUSTRALIAN MOVE · Australia may forestall .. India in

the United Nations, it was learned ECONOMIC, While it was known that the Indian delegation was hourly expecting instructions from their government, it was also understood that the Australian Government might instruct its Security Council repre-

Government as it would be based on which proved inefficient.

lieved, would be based on Chapter bloodshed as soon as possible.

former premier of Indonesia. Dr. safe Parliamentary majority.

Explosion

other business house.

CRISIS

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.Indian intervention, it was be- on antionalisation in the Ruhr. Behind these issues there stands by Nelson Eddy, Baritone: 7.15, B.B.C. he shadow of "conlition"—the hane

It is more likely that the Labour

by paragraph ballots.,

power veto. The final vote was ments with the Greek Government. 9 to 2, with Poland joining

He added: "The action Russia has

Earlier Skirmishes

Beauty Parlour

Harrisonburg, Virginia, July 29,-

been killed and 50 injured.

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